

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

APPLICATION OF CHARTER NETWORK)	
COMPANY TO INTRODUCE NATIONAL)	CASE NO. 91-224
DEDICATED 800 SERVICE)	

O R D E R

On May 23, 1991, Charter Network Company ("Charter") filed a tariff with the Public Service Commission ("Commission") seeking permission to introduce National Dedicated 800 service. Charter proposed to make the tariff effective July 12, 1991.

National Dedicated 800 service is only available on an intrastate basis when the customer has signed up for Charter's interstate National Dedicated 800 service. National Dedicated 800 is a virtual banded inbound service that allows customers to receive 800 calls from throughout the Continental U.S. via voice frequency or DS-1 Terminations. This service is generically similar to other service offerings that have been approved by the Commission that are capable of generating intraLATA traffic.¹

¹ AT&T Megacom 800 Service was approved in Case No. 9874, AT&T Tariff Filing Proposing Megacom/Megacom 800 Service; AT&T Readyline 800 Service was approved in Case No. 10106, AT&T Tariff Filing Proposing AT&T Readyline 800 Service; and MCI 800 Service was approved in Case No. 10049, MCI's Tariff Filing to Introduce Metered Use Option H.

Other related service offerings that are capable of generating "unauthorized" intraLATA traffic have also been approved.²

The Commission, having considered the tariff and being sufficiently advised, HEREBY ORDERS that:

1. Charter's proposed tariff shall be made effective pursuant to the provisions of 807 KAR 5:011, Section 9(1), subject to any compensation arrangement that may be ordered in Administrative Case No. 323.³

2. Charter shall measure and report interstate and intrastate jurisdictional usage and interLATA and intraLATA usage associated with National Dedicated 800 service and file usage reports with the Commission on a quarterly basis. These filings should be made under Case No. 91-036.⁴

² These include AT&T's Software Defined Network Service, approved in Case No. 9518, AT&T Communications' Tariff Proposal for Software Defined Network Service; AT&T Megacom Service, approved in Case No. 9874; MCI's Prism I and Prism II Service, approved in Case No. 9828, MCI's Tariff Filing to Establish Prism Plus, Prism I, and Prism II Services, MCI Prism III Service, which became effective pursuant to 807 KAR 5:011, Section 9(1); US Sprint UltraWATS and Advanced WATS Services, approved in Case No. 9902, US Sprint's Tariff Filing Proposing to Rename its WATS Products, Change Billing Calculation Methods for WATS, Introduce UltraWATS, Travelcard, Direct 800 and Ultra 800, and US Sprint Banded WATS Service, which became effective pursuant to 807 KAR 5:011, Section 9(10).

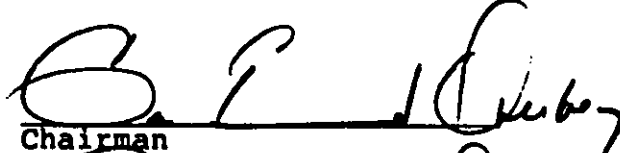
³ Administrative Case No. 323, An Inquiry Into IntraLATA Toll Competition, An Appropriate Compensation Scheme for Completion of IntraLATA Calls by Interexchange Carriers, and WATS Jurisdictionality.

⁴ Case No. 91-036, Jurisdictional Usage Reports, Order entered February 4, 1991.

3. Charter shall inform National Dedicated 800 customers that the Commission has not authorized it to market or tariff this service to complete intraLATA calls.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 9th day of July, 1991.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION


Chairman


Vice Chairman

Commissioner

ATTEST:


Executive Director